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## MILLINERY

AT

## Half-Price!

As a Holiday gift to those who have not yet bought their winter hats, we offer choice of entire stock Ladies' Ready-to-Wear and Pattern Hats AT HALF-PRICE.

All the Paris and New York patterns included not kept back.

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Before Buying.

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207 South Main St.

### TWELFTH VICTIM.

Mildred Thompson, of Cadiz, Dead From Injuries.

Mildred Thompson, of Cadiz, Ky., died at Mercy Hospital Tuesday morning, and a twelfth name was added to the list of victims of the Friday night fire at Walden University.

The girl died at 5:30 o'clock. She was not thought seriously injured at first but later it developed that she had been hurt internally and the utmost efforts were put forth to save her life. She began shivering yesterday, however, and death resulted this morning.

At her bedside were her mother, sister, brother and aunt, and the incident was one of the most pathetic that has occurred as an aftermath of the calamitous visitation the University suffered in the burning of Rust dormitory for women.

Her body was taken to her former home at Cadiz, Ky., by her relatives.

### Condition of Injured.

Reports from the various hospitals show that the condition of patients from Rust Hall are, as a whole satisfactory, and it is hoped that the number of deaths resulting from the fire will not be increased. From present indications, all the sufferers will recover, or, at least, they have a chance for recovery, except three or four of the most desperately injured.

Possibly the most serious case at present is that of Bertha Morford, at the City Hospital, and her death may be expected at any moment. She is suffering with a broken back. Her condition this morning was not so satisfactory as it has been hitherto, and little hope is entertained for her recovery.

### DATE NAMED.

Loose Tobacco Market Will Open Up Jan. 5.

The loose tobacco market will open in Hopkinsville on Tuesday, January 5. There have been about 15,000 pounds received already for sale loose on the floor, and it is probable that 75,000 pounds of the weed will be offered the buyers on the first day. There were no sales on the breaks this week, but 79 hogheads were disposed of privately.

This brings the sales for the year up to 10,000 hogheads. Receipts for the year amount to 11250 hogheads. Loose buyers have been more active during the past ten days and a few sales in the country are reported.

### BRAKEMAN SANDBAGGED.

Although In Dangerous Condition He Will Probably Recover.

E. D. Crawford, a colored I. C. brakeman, was sandbagged by two negroes in the Princeton yards and badly beaten. Crawford had just been paid off and had about \$60 in his pocket. The motive was robbery. It is thought the men who assaulted the brakeman came in the direction of Hopkinsville, and officers Wilson, of Princeton, made a trip as far as Gracey, but failed to locate them. Crawford was taken to the Company's hospital at Paducah. His condition is serious, but he will probably recover.

### HORD-WILSON.

Young People of Hopkinsville United in Marriage.

Mr. Gaither Hord and Miss Mary Wilson were married Wednesday night at the residence of Mrs. Belle Lacy. Elder H. D. Smith officiated. The young people live here and are quite popular. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Keys, of Mannington.

### Mrs. Wallace Entertains.

Mrs. Henry D. Wallace entertained a large party of ladies at lunch Wednesday afternoon. There were 21 tables. The refreshments were dainty and delicious.

### FOUND DEAD.

Very Old Colored Woman Expires While Alone.

Maria Campbell, a very old colored woman living on Fourth street, was found dead in her bed Wednesday morning. She was alone in her room when she died and her death was not known for several hours afterwards.

The coroner held an inquest and the verdict of the jury was that she died from some unknown cause, probably heart failure superinduced by lack of proper food and medical attention for one of her feebleness and advanced age.

She claimed to be 100 years old, but her age was not less than 85 years. She hoarded money and had \$100 in bank, which she could not be induced to spend for any purpose, even the necessities of life.

### STROKE OF PARALYSIS.

Causes Death of Well-Known Citizen of City.

Mr. French M. Tunks, a well-known and much-respected citizen, died about 1 o'clock yesterday morning at his home on Mechanic street.

He had been ill for about a month with pneumonia, but suffered a stroke of paralysis a week ago, which caused his death.

He was 71 years old and a member of the Methodist church.

Mr. Tunks was a native of Edmondson county, but moved to Hopkinsville 45 years ago and followed blacksmithing for a number of years.

He was a widower, his wife having died several years ago, and is survived by four children.

Services will be held at his late residence to-day by Dr. E. L. Southgate and the interment will take place in Hopewell cemetery.

### OUNSWEE CLUB BANQUET.

Brilliant Affair at Hotel Latham To-morrow Night.

The Ounswée Club will give a banquet at Hotel Latham Saturday night to the visiting young ladies and an equal number of escorts. There will be a number of after dinner speeches by the young gentlemen who accept the hospitality of the club, which is composed of a dozen or more of Hopkinsville's prettiest girls. The toast list will include responses as follows.

The Ounswée Club, Mr. Clark Tandy.

The Closing Year, Capt. Clifton Long.

The Coming Leap Year, Mr. George Howell.

Our Best Girls, Mr. Gant Gaither.

The Kenton Club, Mr. Jas. A. Young, Jr.

Forecasts, Mr. Ben Winfree.

### Yesterday's Rain.

Yesterday was a rainy day and the merchants were sorely disappointed over the light holiday trade. But few country people were in town. But it was a great day for the country stores. A good tobacco season has come at last and tobacco will soon begin to move.

### Miss Brownell's Reception.

Miss Mary Jessie Brownell received Tuesday at her father's home on Campbell street. It was an afternoon reception and was a delightful social event. Refreshments were served.

### Flinch Club To Night.

Mrs. R. L. Woodard and Miss Pattie Plack will entertain the Flinch Club tonight.

### Dance To-Night.

The Kenton Club's dance this evening will be one of the principal holiday events.

Prof. and Mrs. C. C. Ferrell, of Oxford, Miss., are visiting the former's parents.

Miss Bet Ware is home from Washington for the holidays.

Miss Mary Jones has returned from Nashville for the week.

## JUST RECEIVED!

An Elegant Line of

## New Cloaks!

The Latest Styles, and  
100 New Pieces

## MATTING,

All New and Pretty Designs.

**T. M. Jones.**

### Christmas Gifts.

Let your gift reflect good taste and individuality. It will do that if it comes from our stock.  
Many attractive

Holiday Goods!

Silver Toilet Ware! Manicure

Sets! Fine Umbrellas!

Opera Glasses!

Novelties in Jewelry!

Catalogue contains many suggestions. Copy will be sent upon request.

**B. F. Stief Jewelry Co.,**

JAS. B. CARR, Treasurer & Manager.

404 Union St., Nashville, Tenn.

## A Special Offering

In the way of good goods for your money is what we are offering for the Holidays.  
Do not wait until the last day to do your

## Christmas Buying,

But come while the stock is complete. Every one who sees the line says it is beautiful and you will miss a treat if you do not stop in. We are holding open house for the next week, and will be glad to see you.

**Hopper & Kitchen.**

## Watches! Watches!

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Prices and Quality our Salesmen. Some of the most attractive features of our well selected watch stock are the prices, the quality and the value guaranteed in every one. Repairing a Specialty.

**JAS. H. SKARRY,**

The Ninth Street Jeweler and Optician.



## Cheap Rates Southwest

Southeast Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Texas

### Homeseekers' Opportunities.

Here's your chance. Very low one-way and round trip rates Southwest this winter—about half the regular fare. Twice a month. Nearby dates are—Dec. 15, 1903, Jan. 5 and 19, and Feb. 2, 1904. Good time to visit southeast Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana or Texas and pick out a location. Round trip tickets permit stop over on the going trip, return limit 21 days. Write and tell us your starting point and where you want to go. We will tell you exactly what your ticket will cost, one-way or round trip; we will see that your baggage is checked, and that you are comfortably located on the right train. Write for our illustrated descriptive literature, maps, lists of real estate agents, and let us help you find a better home in the country along the Cotton Belt Route.

Write to-day to  
L. O. SCHAEFER, T. P. A.  
Cotton Belt Route, Cincinnati, O.  
—OR—  
R. W. LA BEAUME, G. P. & T. A.  
Cotton Belt Route, St. Louis, Mo.

## Time Table

WESTERN DIVISION

### Tennessee Central R. R.

BETWEEN NASHVILLE AND CLARKSVILLE.

No. 10 P. M.	No. 14 A. M.	STATION.	No. 9 A. M.	No. 13 P. M.
4.00	6.30	Ly. Nashville. Ar.	10.00	7.25
4.21	6.40	Van Hook Place	9.30	7.10
4.30	7.13	..... Riverside	9.20	7.05
4.46	7.23	..... Jordana	9.15	6.58
4.57	7.27	..... Jordana	9.05	6.53
4.57	7.30	McHenry	9.02	6.50
4.56	7.44	..... Gravelotte	8.52	6.40
4.59	7.46	Sulphur Springs	8.50	6.35
5.00	7.48	..... Ashland City	8.45	6.30
5.14	8.25	Chapmansboro	8.25	6.00
5.28	8.50	Doddsville	8.00	5.35
5.35	8.53	Hickory Point	7.40	5.40
6.00	9.28	..... Gosholt	7.30	5.38
6.15	9.38	..... Spaulding	7.20	5.25
6.25	9.55	Summit Yards	7.05	4.05
6.30	10.00	Ar. Clarksville. Lv.	7.00	4.00

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Headquarters  
**For Fine Candies.**  
15 per cent Discount  
Given on all 5 lb. boxes!  
Special attention to mail  
orders! Make a special-  
ty of putting up.

**Fruit Baskets  
AND  
Candy Boxes**

For Christmas presents!  
Florida Oranges, Wine-  
sap and Rusty Coat Ap-  
ples! Home made Can-  
dies!

No. 4, Sixth St.,  
Opp. Court House.

**The Talk of  
Christian  
County.**

**Our \$5 Set  
of Teeth!**

They look well! Fit well  
and wear well!

Teeth extracted free  
when new ones are ordered.  
All work guaranteed.  
Remember the place.

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DENTAL PARLORS,**  
Corner  
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between  
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cities of Nashville, Memphis,  
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**Without Any Change.**  
And speed Unrivaled.  
Pullman Palace Cars for Atlanta,  
Savannah, Macon, Jacksonville  
and Points in Florida.

Connections are made at Guthrie  
and Nashville for all points, North,  
South East and West, in Pullman  
Cars. Emigrants seeking homes on  
the line of this road will receive  
special low rates. See agent of the  
company for rates, routes, etc., or  
write to the General Passenger &  
Traffic agent at Louisville, Ky.

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Board, Feed and Livery Stable.  
YOUR PATRONAGE SOLICITED.  
107 9TH ST., NEAR L. & N. BRD.  
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**School Entertainment.**  
Everybody is invited to a school  
entertainment, to be given at Her-  
ndon, Ky., Monday evening Dec. 28,  
1903. Admission for children 10c,  
adults 15 cts. ROBERT T. JOHNS,  
Teacher.

**Holiday Flowers.**  
Roses, Carnations, Holly and  
Smilax. Mrs. W. S. Davison.

**900 DROPS**  
**CASTORIA**  
Vegetable Preparation for As-  
similating the Food and Regula-  
ting the Stomach and Bowels of  
**INFANTS & CHILDREN**  
Promotes Digestion, Cheerful-  
ness and Rest. Contains neither  
Opium, Morphine, nor Mineral.  
**NOT NARCOTIC.**  
A perfect Remedy for Constipa-  
tion, Sour Stomach, Diarrhoea,  
Worms, Convulsions, Feverish-  
ness and **LOSS OF SLEEP.**  
The Simple Signature of  
**Dr. J. C. Kendrick**  
**NEW YORK.**  
At 6 months old  
**15 DROPS = 5 CENTS**  
EXACT COPY OF WRAPPER.

**J. C. KENDRICK,** President.  
**C. K. BARNES,** Book-Keeper.  
**C. D. RUNYON,** Vice-President.  
**Kendrick-Runyon Tobacco Warehouse Co.,**  
**Clarksville, - Tennessee.**  
We beg to inform planters and the trade generally that the  
**QUEEN CITY TOBACCO WAREHOUSE**  
has been put in order, and with excellent facilities, again opens its doors  
for the sale of  
**LOOSE TOBACCO ON THE FLOOR.**  
Light Weights or in Hogheads, or as our friends may prefer to sell. We  
invite the patronage of the thousands of our friends, who so liberally  
patronized us the past season, and earnestly solicit a trial shipment  
from those who have not so favored us.

**We Have Good Quarters for Teams and Drivers in the Warehouse.**  
That the marketing of Tobacco on the open markets by concentrating  
the demands, will bring better results to sellers, is self-evident. Truth  
Public meetings, stenographers, typewriters and their offspring "Re-  
ductions," cannot better conditions. But united determination on the  
part of planters to offer their Tobacco on open markets to the highest  
bidders will bring face to face every known demand for Tobacco. Help  
us to sell your tobacco for good prices by patronizing open market's.  
It stands planters in hand to think of this.

**Kendrick-Runyon Tobacco Warehouse Co.**

**TYPEWRITING**  
SHORT HAND BOOKKEEPING AND ALL  
BUSINESS BRANCHES, TAUGHT IN THE MOST  
PRACTICAL MANNER AT  
**LOCKYER'S  
BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
LARGEST AND BEST  
Seven Teachers Thirty Typewriters  
Cheap Board Positions for Graduates  
Handsome Catalogue Free Write for one  
**LOCKYER'S  
BUSINESS COLLEGE**  
EVANSVILLE, IND.

**THE BEST IS THE CHEAPEST**  
**Dryden & Stratton**  
**Business College**  
Louisville, Ky.  
Seven experienced teachers, each one a specialist in his line. Grad-  
uates of this college preferred by business houses. We are now in our  
new home, northeast corner of Second and Main streets, the finest and  
best arranged school building in the South. Individual instruction.  
School in session all year, students can enter at any time. Visitors al-  
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**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Cures Crip  
in Two Days.  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets.  
Seven Million boxes sold in past 12 months.  
This signature, **E. W. Groves**  
on every box. 25c.

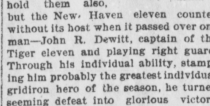
## SPORTS AND ATHLETICS

Michigan and Minnesota are left in a  
class above all other western teams in  
the football field as a  
result of games  
played Thanksgiving  
day, but the  
chance "champion-  
ship" is sure to be  
disputed between  
the two leaders. As  
both teams have  
broken training  
there is little  
chance that a post-  
show more strength  
will be played, and in  
consequence the  
question of superi-  
ority will be left  
for long winter discussions to settle.  
The lines of comparison between Min-  
nesota and Michigan are furnished by  
the game in which they met at Minne-  
apolis and in comparative scores as fur-  
nished by Wisconsin. The game at  
Minneapolis resulted in a tie, 6 to 6.  
Against Wisconsin Michigan made 16  
points, scoring one touchdown and two  
field goals; while Minnesota made 17  
points on three touchdowns, from two  
of which goals were kicked. The fact  
that Chicago, which defeated Wisconsin  
15 to 6 on three field goals, was de-  
feated by Michigan 28 to 0, furnishes another  
chance for speculation. Coach Williams,  
of Minnesota, maintains that in the  
game at Minneapolis his team gained  
more ground than Michigan, and that  
three touchdowns against Wisconsin  
placed Wisconsin on Wisconsin's own  
field certainly entitles Minnesota to be  
placed above Michigan, as they only  
made one touchdown and two goals  
from the field on their one game at  
Ann Arbor against Wisconsin. Coach  
Yost, on the other hand, says that the  
long trip of the Michigan team to Min-  
neapolis and the early date should be  
considered in connection with the Min-  
neapolis tie. He thinks that the Michi-  
gan team did not show its true strength  
until the Thanksgiving day struggle  
with Chicago.

"The whole season's work should be  
considered in deciding the ranking of  
the teams," says Yost, "and it strikes me  
that Michigan's showing in fully as good  
as that of Minnesota. The fact that  
Minnesota met Wisconsin after the  
Badgers had been through three hard  
games should not be overlooked, and  
the point that Chicago, which won from  
Wisconsin by within two points of Min-  
nesota's score, has been defeated by us  
28 to 6 is significant."

In the game between Yale and Prince-  
ton, won by the latter by the score of  
11 to 6, the Tigers demonstrated the  
possibility of a  
"one-man" eleven  
defeating a team  
probably 15 superi-  
or. According to  
all reports of the  
struggle that gave  
the Tigers the  
championship of  
the country, Yale's  
defense was strong-  
er than that of  
the game and black-  
board. Since that  
time, the defense  
was able to  
hold them also,  
but the New Haven eleven counted  
without its best when it passed over one  
man—John R. Dewitt, captain of the  
Tiger eleven and playing right guard.  
Through his individual ability, stamp-  
ing him probably the greatest individual  
gridiron hero of the season, he turned  
seemingly defeat into glorious victory  
over old Nassau, the first victory over  
the old Bill for the Tigers since '98, when  
Poe won the game for the Tigers by kick-  
ing a field goal from the same spot De-  
witt kicked his. Dewitt has been a foot-  
ball player ever since he grew large  
enough to play the game. In his high  
school and academy days he played the  
game, and at Lawrenceville academy,  
where he prepared for Princeton, he was  
captain of the team. He entered Prince-  
ton in 1900 and played guard a part of  
the season on the eleven, but was in-  
jured early and retired. Since that time  
he has been one of the regulars, playing  
right tackle in 1901, but returning to  
the guard position in 1902. He proved  
the maladjust of the Tigers. Last fall  
he was unanimously elected captain of  
the eleven. He is a giant in physique,  
standing six feet one inch tall and  
weighing 196 pounds. He is 22 years  
old. Though the new rules have not  
favored the development of the kick-  
ing game, Dewitt has been recognized as  
one of the best drop kickers in the coun-  
try. It was through his ability in this  
department of the game that he was  
able to wrest victory from the Blues.  
Princeton's victory places the Tigers at  
the head of the list of football eleven  
in the country. Yale is put out of the  
running by this defeat and Harvard  
was beaten by a secondary team like  
Dartmouth. With the Yale game, Prince-  
ton closed its season. The Tigers played  
a wonderful game all season and had  
not been scored on by any of their op-  
ponents until Hogan made a touchdown  
on Yale. Dewitt's aggression has not  
been a great scoring machine and has  
made lower scores against some of the  
secondary teams than Harvard and Yale  
made against the institutions, but the  
Tigers have been consistent at all times,  
playing steadily, with the one purpose  
in view of beating Yale.

"Farmer" Burns, champion middle-  
weight catch-as-catch-can wrestler of  
the world, threw John Berg, Pacific  
northwest champion, three times within  
an hour at Whatcom, Wash., recently.  
HARRY MARTIN.



This is the season of the year  
when the prudent and careful  
housewife replenishes her supply of  
Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It  
is certain to be needed before the  
winter is over, and results are much  
more prompt and satisfactory when  
it is kept at hand and given as soon  
as the cold is contracted and before  
it has become settled in the system.  
In almost every instance a severe  
cold may be warded off by taking  
this remedy freely as soon as the  
first indication of the cold appears.  
There is no danger in giving it to  
children for it contains no harmful  
substance. It is pleasant to take,  
both adults and children like it.  
Buy it and you will get the best.  
It always cures. For sale by Cook  
& Higgins, druggists.

Mike Seymour, who shot Patrol-  
man Olges, and who was wounded  
by the policeman, sent to a drug-  
gist for morphine. Powdered  
sugar was substituted, and he took  
the harmless dose. He denies that  
attempted suicide.

The body of John Welsh, a float-  
tender, who had been missing  
since Sunday, December 13, was  
found in the river between his  
shantyboat and the shore.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine  
Tablets. All druggists refund the  
money if it fails to cure. E. W.  
Groves' signature is on each  
box. 25c.

John J. Lincoln was found dead  
in bed at his home, 241 Seventeenth  
street, Louisville.

Women love a clear, healthy com-  
plexion. Pure blood makes it.  
Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure  
blood.

The last of the six bodies reported  
missing were recovered from the  
ruins of the dormitory of Walden  
University at Nashville.

**CASTORIA**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Bears the  
Signature of **Dr. J. C. Kendrick**  
William Williams, one of Mercer  
county's oldest and best citizens is  
dead.

**LAX-FOS** For the Kidney's,  
Lives and Stomach.  
A little son of H. C. Bartlett was  
fatally buried at Owensboro.

## DANISH NAMES ARE QUEEN

Some of Most Peculiar Are Disappear-  
ing of Late.

A great change has been going  
on for the past 30 years in the fam-  
ily names that for so many centu-  
ries have been a characteristic of  
Denmark, says the Chicago Chroni-  
cle. When, by an ordinance of  
1828, the use of shifting patronym-  
ics was prohibited, a large propor-  
tion of the peasantry kept the  
patronymics of that generation;  
hence the immense number of  
Danish Hansens, Petersens, etc.  
It is estimated by the editor of the  
Copenhagen directory, in an article  
published in a recent number of  
the Berlingske Tidende, that the  
3,200 entries of the practically  
meaningless name Hansen rep-  
resent not fewer than 30,000 Co-  
penhageners who bear it.

Several other names press the  
Hansens close. The first sci-  
entific attempt to effect relief was  
given in a pamphlet published in  
1899 by a commission appointed  
by the ministry of justice. In this  
report, prepared by several em-  
inent specialists, a full account of  
the development of Danish family  
names is given, with special refer-  
ence to the present situation. This  
has now been supplemented by a  
list of 1,600 Danish family names,  
no longer in use, compiled by Ver-  
ner Dahlerup and Johannes Steen-  
strup. In order to encourage the  
substitution of these good old  
Danish names for the objection-  
able patronymics the ministry of  
justice has substantially reduced  
the registration charges and the  
genealogical institute offers its  
services to disconcerted Hansens  
and Petersens at a correspond-  
ingly low rate.

A similar crusade against patro-  
nymics is being conducted in Nor-  
way and by the Norwegian press  
in this country, the aim being to  
restore the old farm names, very  
few of which are now in use. It  
may be noted in this connection  
that the father of Bjornstjerne  
Bjornson was originally named  
Ske, from the farm on which he  
was born, and that he did not  
change it for the now famous  
patronymic until a few years be-  
fore his marriage. Rasmus B. An-  
derson frequently uses his family  
name of Kvele as a journalistic  
pseudonym.

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If Not, What Better Proof Can  
Hopkinsville Residents  
Ask For?

This is the statement of a Hop-  
kinsville citizen.  
The testimony of a neighbor.  
You can readily investigate it.  
The proof should convince you.  
J. W. Pritchett, retired grocer, of  
752 East 7th St., says: "My back  
has given me a great deal of  
trouble. The pain was not con-  
tinuously severe but came on by  
intermittent spells which were some-  
times very painful, especially after  
over-exertion of any kind. Being  
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50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buf-  
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stitute.

Charles Garret, charged with the  
murder of Lawson Carter, was ac-  
quitted in the Criminal Court at  
Louisville, Judge Caruth giving per-  
emptory instructions for the de-  
fense. It was shown that Garret  
fired in self-defense.

**Your Druggist Sells It.**

Joe Murphy, a popular passen-  
ger conductor on the Big Four,  
running the affected parts, in Ind.  
and Springfield, Ohio, says that he  
would not be alive today if he had  
not used Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin,  
which cured him of a severe case  
of stomach and bowel trouble.  
For sale by Cook & Higgins.

One hundred thousand dollars is  
tied up in the courts awaiting the  
proof of death or appearance of  
William Lancaster, formerly of  
Paterson, N. J.

**Better Than a Plaster.**

A piece of flannel dampened with  
Chamberlain's Pain Balm and  
bound on the affected parts, is bet-  
ter than a plaster for a lame back  
and for a pain in the side or chest.  
Pain Balm has no superior as a  
liniment for the relief of deep sear-  
ed, muscular and rheumatic pains.  
For sale by Cook & Higgins.

Damaging allegations have been  
preferred against Hospital Steward  
J. S. Minor, of the Seventh cavalry,  
and Charles F. Hood, a merchant  
of Park City, Ga.

A glass or two of water taken  
half an hour before breakfast will  
usually keep the bowels regular.  
Harsh cathartics should be avoided.  
When a purgative is needed, take  
Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver  
Tablets. They are mild and gentle  
in their action. For sale by  
Cook & Higgins, druggists.

Thinking that war with Colombia  
is certain railroad and shipping  
men anxious to transport troops are  
besieging the Quartermaster Gen-  
eral of the army.

**CASTORIA**  
For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature of **Dr. J. C. Kendrick**

Chinese laborers are flocking into  
Bassett. After January 1 all who  
enter will be subject to a head tax  
of five hundred dollars each.

"Neglected colds make fat grave-  
yards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine  
syrup helps men and women to a  
happy, vigorous old age.

James M. Bidge, a New Jersey  
bank teller, who embezzled \$128,-  
000, was sentenced to seven years'  
imprisonment.

Bodily pain loses its terror if  
you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas'  
Electric Oil in the house. Instant  
relief in cases of burns, cuts,  
sprains, accidents of any sort.

Bruce Cook is in jail at Somerset  
charged with kidnaping his five-  
year-old daughter.

**CASTORIA**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
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Signature of **Dr. J. C. Kendrick**

Ten persons were killed and  
twenty injured in a wreck on the  
"Prisco" railroad near Fort Scott,  
Ark.

**LAX-FOS** For the Kidney's,  
Liver and Stomach.



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 —DECEMBER 25, 1903—

Rev. E. Pendleton Jones, pastor of the First Baptist church of Owensboro, has resigned.

Frederick K. Coudert, the well known lawyer of New York City, died this week of heart disease, aged 71 years.

Dr. Jas. W. Guest, of Louisville, has just finished the task of eating 30 quail in 30 days. He ate an extra one for good count.

The KENTUCKIAN comes out as usual this morning, as a Christmas gift to all its patrons. Here's wishing them one and all a Merry Christmas and many happy returns.

Auditor Coulter says \$400,000 can be saved annually out of the present state revenues, which would build a state capital in two or three years without an increase of taxation. The new capital seems to be a certainty this time.

Miss Erlene Sinclair, a school teacher at Sullivan, Ind., promised the school a treat when school was out. She failed to keep her promise and half a dozen of the larger children cut a hole in the ice and backed her in a pond. She has brought a damage suit of \$10,000 for injuries received at her hands.

The revised list of dead from the burning of the colored school at Nashville, shows that six girls were burned to death and six killed by jumping from the windows. The bodies of the dead were recovered and identified by rings and in other ways. Of the 27 other women and girls hurt by jumping from windows, several are set yet out of danger.

#### ROSE FARM

To Be Established in a Mississippi Delta By Ohioans.

A vast 100-acre garden of 3,000 acres is what Ohio horticulturists intend to establish in the Delta section of Mississippi. They propose to establish a rose farm and ship outtings of roses over the entire United States.

The promoters have purchased 3,000 acres of Delta land in Tallahatchie County, Mississippi, adjacent to the Lake Commerce branch of the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley Railroad.

#### WARD CASE.

Hearing Has Been Postponed Until After the Holidays.

The Tennessee State Supreme Court has postponed the hearing of the case of Homer D. Ward, former Superintendent of the Tennessee Odd Fellows' Home, until after the holidays. Ward has been returned from Nashville to the Clarksville jail. He is under a 10 years' sentence to the state penitentiary.

#### South Trimble's Bill.

Washington, Dec. 18.—A flood of memorials asking for the passage of Representative South Trimble's bill to remove the tax on unadulterated twist and other forms of manufactured tobacco, have come in on the clerk of the house of representatives for Kentucky, Virginia and other tobacco planters, and he hopes the pressure from them will be so heavy that congress will pass the bill.

#### How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. P. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known P. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly Honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm. W. L. DUBOIS, KIRKMAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

### All Stuffed Up

That's the condition of many sufferers from catarrh, especially in the morning. Great difficulty is experienced in clearing the head and throat.

No wonder catarrh causes headache, impairs the taste, smell and hearing, pollutes the breath, deranges the stomach and sours the system.

To cure catarrh, treatment must be constitutional—alterative and tonic.

"I was afflicted with catarrh. I took medicines of different kinds, giving such a time that I could hardly see, hear or smell. I then concluded to try Hood's Sarsaparilla, and after taking five bottles I was cured and have had but one return of the disease since." EUGENE FORBES, Lebanon, Kan.

### Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures catarrh—it soothes and strengthens the mucous membrane and builds up the whole system.

#### DAMAGE SUIT

Brought Against Officer Morris By R. L. Butler.

Suit was filed here yesterday morning by Richard L. Butler against Officer L. A. Morris and his bondsmen, the Union Surety & Guarantee Company, of Philadelphia, for \$1,000 damages.

Butler charges that on Oct. 24 last, while the defendant was making the arrest of Ben Williams, he unlawfully assaulted the plaintiff and beat and bruised him about the head and body with his fists and with a "billy." He further states that he was knocked senseless and his injuries caused him to be confined to his bed for three weeks.

#### ARE YOU SATISFIED?

If Not, What Better Proof Can Hopkinsville Residents Ask For?

This is the statement of a Hopkinsville citizen. The testimony of a neighbor. You can readily investigate it. The proof should convince you. J. W. Pritchett, retired grocer, of 752 East 7th St., says: "My back has given me a great deal of trouble. The pain was not continually severe but came on by intermittent spells which were sometimes very painful, especially after over-exertion of any kind. Being constantly on the outlook for something to relieve me, I happened to read of Doan's Kidney Pills and was so impressed with the testimonials as to their worth, that I procured a box at Thomas & Traher's drug store. They promptly relieved the pain and the secretions were soon rendered normal. The Pills benefited me in every way and I hope that my endorsement will be the means of extending relief to some other sufferer."

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#### NEW SURGEON

For the Tennessee Central Railroad Company.

Dr. H. H. Wallace has been appointed local surgeon for the Tennessee Central Railroad company. He is in every way qualified for the place and no better appointment could have been made.

#### LEDFOUR-BRAME.

South Christian Couple Married at Hennottstown Yesterday.

The marriage of Mr. William R. Ledford and Miss Sadie Bell Brame occurred at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the home of Mr. Jas. B. Wall, niece of the bride, near Bennettsburg. The Rev. John D. Frasier, of Cadiz, performed the ceremony. The young people are prominent and very popular.

#### A Lemmon Lemon.

Mrs. R. S. Lindsay, of Pee Dee, raised on a lemon bush in her pit this year, a lemon that measures 14 inches in circumference. It is a curiosity in the lemon line.

#### Mr. Radford Sick.

Mr. W. W. Radford, of Howell, is quite sick with pneumonia.

#### Crabtree-Pritchett.

Mr. J. Y. Crabtree, of the Crofton neighborhood, and Miss Nannie Pritchett, of Madisonville, Ky., were married last Tuesday.

#### Ray-Armstrong.

Dr. R. M. Ray, of Crofton, and Miss Ethel Armstrong, of the same vicinity, were married Tuesday.

Sixty-three horses were lost in a wreck on the B. & O. road at Dawson, Pa., Wednesday night.

### SPECIAL TERM

Called to Indict And The Pembroke Gang.

A speedy Punishment Will Uphold The Majesty of The Law.

Judge Thos. P. Cook has issued a call for a special term of the Christian Circuit Court, to be held in this city on January 4, for the purpose of investigating the cases of the nine negroes now in jail here charged with the murder of the unknown white man whose body was found in the woods near Pembroke Nov. 17, mutilated beyond recognition.

The parties charged with the murder are George Holland, Frank Merriwether, Frank Massie, Dick Carney, Charles Finch, Bill Garrett, Ed Moseley and Ed Holland, Frank Sherman, arrested at Howell, Ind., is also in jail here, charged with complicity.

Several of the prisoners admitted murdering the man for \$100. The victim was struck with an axe handle, his throat cut, and his face then cut off and buried to prevent identification. It has been openly asserted at the scene of the murder that a mob would organize and take the men from jail and lynch them if they were not given a speedy trial. Their confession has intensified this feeling, which led Judge Cook to call the special term of the grand jury.

The citizens of Pembroke have retained Judges C. H. Bush and James Breathitt to assist in the prosecution.

#### RELATIVES FEAR WORST.

Former Gov. John Young Brown Critically Ill at His Home in Henderson.

Henderson, Ky., Dec. 22.—Former Gov. John Young Brown is critically ill with dropsy at his home in this city. He has been confined to his bed for the past six weeks. He has become continually worse, and his condition is now thought to be precarious.

About a month ago an operation was performed on Gov. Brown, and at the time it was thought that the results would be successful. The statesman rallied for a few days and showed signs of improvement. The strain on his constitution, however, resulting from the shock of the operation, coupled with his advanced old age, has in the past few days been gradually telling on him.

#### ELECTION CONTEST.

James Montgomery Files Suit Against W. S. Chelf, Circuit Judge-elect.

Elizabethtown, Ky., Dec. 23.—James Montgomery has filed suit contesting the election of Weed S. Chelf as Circuit Judge in the Ninth judicial district.

The plaintiff alleges that the primary election nominating Chelf was illegal because the committee that called the primary and the officers of the election were not sworn, that the primary was held eighteen months before the election, and that men under twenty-one years of age were allowed to vote. He alleges that the committee would not permit his name to go on the ballot because he refused to pay part of the estimated cost, which was greater than the actual cost. He further alleges that Chelf was not the Democratic nominee, and that votes were counted for him because they were cast under the Democratic device.

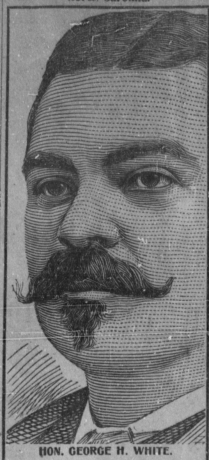
### Bilious?

Dizzy? Headache? Pain back of your eyes? It's your liver! Use Ayer's Pills. Gently laxative; all vegetable. Sold for 60 years.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use BUCKINGHAM'S DYE.

### PE-RU-NA NECESSARY TO THE HOME.

A Letter From Congressman White, of North Carolina.



HON. GEORGE H. WHITE.

Congressman George Henry White, of Tarboro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman concerning Peru-na: House of Representatives, Washington, Feb. 4, 1900.

Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., Gentlemen:—I am more than satisfied with Peru-na, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and it has all joined me in recommending it as an excellent remedy.

Very respectfully, George H. White. If you have catarrh write to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case, and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address: Dr. Hartman, President of The Hartman Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

#### DELIGHTFUL MUSIC

Characterized the Pupils' Recital at Bethel College.

The pupils' recital at Bethel College Wednesday evening, was a musical treat that was greatly enjoyed by all who attended. The young ladies showed careful instruction in both instrumental and vocal music and a number of very charming selections were given, during the two hours that the recital lasted.

The young ladies received their friends in the college parlors, following the musical program, until eleven o'clock. Nearly all of the pupils left yesterday for their homes to spend the holidays.

#### Driven to Desperation.

Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in burns, cuts, wounds, etc. Lay's is a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c at Hardwick's drug store.

#### BURIED IN CHRISTIAN.

Remains of Mrs. Cook Interred Near Longview.

Mrs. Fanni Cook, mother of Mrs. Will Edwards, of near Lafayette, died in New Providence, Tenn., Tuesday, of consumption, aged 68 years. She was a member of the Presbyterian church. The body was brought to Christian county and interred in the family burying ground, near Longview.

Happiness is but another name for perfect health. Use Prickly Ash Bitters and be happy. It keeps the vital organs healthy and well regulated. R. C. Hardwick, Special Agent.

#### MATCHED TO MEET.

Sharkey and Munroe Will Fight This Winter.

Tom Sharkey, the sailor, and Jack Munroe, the miner, have been matched to fight for the right to meet James J. Jeffries for the world's heavyweight championship. San Francisco is the only city barred from bidding for the contest. Sharkey barred San Francisco because he claimed that they would not permit him to fight Jeffries there two years ago.

The contest will take place some time before March. The principals have agreed to fight under straight Marquis of Queensberry rules.

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## A Man's Christmas!

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Come to a Man's store for a Man's things. We know what is right and correct and we know what men like. Our Coats, Suits, Full Dress White Vests, Rain Coats, Hats, Silk Umbrellas, Dress Suit Cases, Beautiful Neckwear, Handsome Mufflers, Gloves for heavy wear, Fancy Half Hose, Suspenders, Collars, Shirts of all kinds, Cuff Buttons, Shirt Studs, Pair Odd Pants, Stiff Hats, Breast Protectors, Way Mufflers and Silk Handkerchiefs.

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a cold in a single night, who suffers from bronchitis, prevents pneumonia. Physicians advise parents to keep it on hand.

The best cough medicine money can buy. For the cure of whooping cough, croup, and all other lung troubles, it is the best.

for Throat, Lungs

It will greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

## BALDHEADED CLUB.

Joe K. Twyman Elected President By Flattering Vote.

Committee Authorized to Make Preparations for the Holiday Banquet.

WHEN the Bald-headed Club was called to order Saturday night, it could be seen with the naked eye that something was going to happen.

Acting President Bassett was called to the gavel, but he began stating that he had only come to start the ball rolling, and that it was his busy season, and time was money, and as soon as a President was elected, he would have to leave.

Col. (formerly Capt.) Lloyd W. Whitlow, although a new member, seemed like a veteran and made a useful member. He arose and nominated for the Presidency Col. Joseph Kirtley Twyman, the new member from the Third ward.

run in the same channels and great heads often glacial alike in the same front row. He liked Col. Twyman because he was, if possible, a bigger man than himself. In fact, the only hair he encountered his head with was a slight hirsute lambeau that could be found just above his buck collar button by a close inspection. He thought the President should be not only a bald man at heart, but his head should show at a glance that he was a 3rd degree member.

As Col. Whitlow warmed up to his subject, it became evident that his remarks were creating a profound impression. It suddenly dawned upon the entire membership that a stampede was liable to follow the telling speech. Col. Whitlow concluded by pointing his finger at Col. Twyman, who sat blushing like a girl with her first beau, and declaring, "A new name is about to be enrolled in the galaxy of Fame, and I believe that name will be Joe."

Then the suppressed excitement broke loose. Pandemonium reigned inside, while torrents of rain fell on the roof. Even Col. Bill Howell stopped chewing his tobacco and swallowed the quid in his excitement, as he sprang to his feet to second the nomination.

Col. John B. Galbreath and Col. J. B. Jackson each spoke briefly, expressing their gratification that the honor was to go to a member of the City Council.

Col. Martin Davis then obtained the floor, (or as much of it as he needed to stand upon) and moved that Col. Twyman be elected by acclamation. He said it was evident that Twyman was the Lou Dillon of the hour and what was done might as well be done gracefully. And thus it came to pass, Col. Twyman was accorded the distinguished honor of being elected without a dissenting voice.

He was escorted to the chair by a committee, composed of Col. L. W. Whitlow and L. H. McKee. As the trio walked towards the stand in a row, Col. Bill Bamberger, who can sometimes be funny as well as pretty, remarked to Col. Buck Leavell, "There's three of a kind. Just look at them heads."

President Twyman was almost overcome with emotion. He choked up when he attempted to speak and failed to utter a single word.

Col. John Phelps, who is always equal to any emergency, grasped the situation and springing to his feet used a famous quotation, changing the name to suit the occasion, and said: "Sit down, Col. Twyman, sit down. Your modesty alone is equal to your merit!"

With a thankful look upon his face, the President sank into his seat and buried his face in his hands.

Col. Bill Howell thereupon arose and said if the gentleman had lost his voice, he would make a few remarks for him.

Col. Bassett, however, said it was not customary for the President to deliver his inaugural speech off-hand, and that President Twyman should be given until the next meeting to prepare a speech.

President Twyman had by this time recovered his self-possession and briefly thanked the club for the honor and said he would have his inaugural address ready at the next meeting.

He then assumed the duties of his office and Col. Hassett was excused, after being given a vote of thanks. As it was getting early, the election of other officers was postponed and the report of the banquet committee was called for.

The committee reported that the proposed banquet would be held at Hotel Latham during the holidays. The same committee was continued and instructed to arrange a toast list. President Twyman was authorized to designate the toastmaster.

The club then adjourned.

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Would quickly leave you, if you used Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of sufferers have proved their matchless merit for sick and nervous headaches. They make pure blood and build up your health. Only 25c, money back if not cured. Sold by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

## CUNNINGHAM-STEWART.

Pee Dee Farmer Weds Popular Gracy Woman.

Mr. R. S. Cunningham, a young farmer living near Pee Dee, and Miss Bertha Stewart, of near Gracey, were married in Hopkinsville Wednesday. Judge Fowler officiated.

**TAKE PRICKLY ASH BITTERS**

For Indigestion, Constipation, Kidney Troubles.

**IT CURES.**

R. C. Hardwick, Agent.

## MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Dr. H. H. Wallace Elected President For 1904.

The Christian County Medical Society met last Monday at 11 o'clock in the city court room, holding a morning and afternoon session, with a great attendance. The annual election of officers took place with the following results:

Dr. H. H. Wallace, Hopkinsville, President.

Dr. J. R. Payne, Pembroke, 1st Vice-President.

Dr. R. L. Woodward, Hopkinsville, 2nd Vice-President.

Dr. B. P. Eager, Hopkinsville, Secretary and Treasurer.

Dr. J. L. Barker, Pembroke, member of the Board of Censors. Business matters of importance to every member were discussed freely and some plans were adopted for the improvement of objectionable conditions. A most excellent spirit prevailed throughout the day.

It was decided to have hereafter two papers at each meeting and hold a morning and afternoon session, beginning at 11 o'clock on each third Monday.

A committee was appointed, consisting of Drs. J. M. Dennis, G. W. Luckey and B. P. Eager, to draft suitable resolutions on the death of Dr. W. H. Hopson.

## Startling Evidence.

Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from T. J. McFarland, Bestorville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all lung and throat troubles, consumption, pneumonia and grip. Guaranteed by R. C. Hardwick, druggist. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

## In Memory.

The death of Dr. William Henry Hopson, at the ripe age of 82 years, removes from our midst about the last of the old school of gentlemen and physicians of anti-bellum days, and leaves a vacancy that will long be felt.

Courteous to all alike, chivalrous as the knights of old, gentle, yet with the courage of a lion, he bravely faced all the issues of an eventful life just as he met his

death, with calmness, heroism and resignation.

As a physician, trusted and beloved, he had practiced in most of the families of Christian and adjoining counties; and in many of them for three generations. His great diagnostic ability and skill was recognized by all, and no physician was known to turn a deaf ear to the appeal of the suffering.

As a son and husband, there was never one more devoted; and as a friend none could be found more loyal and sincere. One of the most beautiful traits of his character was his fondness for little children.

He never passed them without a kind word or a smile, and his delight was to have them around him. In this regard his life breathed the spirit of our Saviour's words, "Suffer little children to come unto me." As he had smoothed the path through the valley of death for so many, so were his last hours soothed and comforted, and no tribute to his memory would be complete without mentioning the beautiful devotion between himself and his stepdaughter, Mrs. H. G. O'Neill, in whose arms his gentle spirit passed peacefully away.

And now his labor is over, he rests beneath the shade of a tree planted by his own hands some thirty years ago, while his memory will ever live in the hearts of all who knew him. A FRIEND.

## Notice!

A special term of the Christian Circuit Court is hereby called to be held at the Court House, in Hopkinsville, Ky., commencing January 4th, 1904, at 9 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of procuring judgments in, and trying the following cases, viz:

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. George Holland.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Frank Merriwether.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Frank Massie.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Ed. Moseley.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Ed. Holland.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Dick Carney.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Charles Finch.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Bill Garrott.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. Frank Sherman.

Said special term will continue as long as the above business may require. This, Dec. 22nd, 1903.

THOS. P. COOK,

Judge 3rd Judicial District of Ky. A Copy Attest, J. M. STARLING, Clerk Christian Circuit Court.

## How the Realities of a Play Stimulate Imagination.

To those who have followed the career of the great rural play, "Quincy Adams Sawyer," to the extent of witnessing a large number of its performers, the most notable feature of the drama is the power that certain of its scenes exert upon audiences in compelling them to see. Especially is this true of the famous husking bee scene, in which the color and humor of the performance are example of the art which conceals art and hence perfect.

The players in this merry scene are so thoroughly in sympathy with it, their pranks and laughter are spontaneous, the little details supplied in the stage settings are so perfect, that as the scene advances the audience gradually enter into the spirit of the situation and forget the theatre. The heated atmosphere of the playhouse is dissipated and from the natural simplicity and life-like charm of the merriment there sweeps over the spectator that perfect illusion which makes but seldom from stage art. The footlights disappear and the actors on the one side and the lookers-on upon the other seem to mingle in wholesome enjoyment.

The players themselves feel this merging and it is seldom to be noted that when the husking bee scene is reached they feel that they absolutely live their characters. The whole secret rests in the simplicity and it is its simplicity that has made "Quincy Adams Sawyer" the tremendous success that it is. It is safe to say that when the great rustic play is seen at Holland's Opera House on Jan. 18, 1904, there will be few in the audience who will not find the husking bee scene a perfect realization of the genuine article.

## Worst of all Experiences.

Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala. "For three years," she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered. My liver, kidney, stomach and bowel troubles, Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by R. C. Hardwick, druggist.

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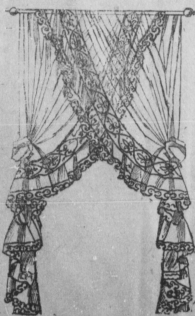
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### Commissioner's Sale.

Christian Circuit Court, Kentucky.  
Almedia Powell, Agt.  
Wm. Powell's Adm'r &c. } EQUITY.

By virtue of a judgment and order of sale of the Christian Circuit Court, rendered at the September term thereof, 1903, in the above cause I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Hopkinsville, Ky., to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 4th day of January 1904, at 11 o'clock, a. m., or thereabout, (being County Court day) upon a credit of six months the following described property to-wit: Certain two tracts or parcels of land, situated in the eastern portion of Christian county, Ky., on the waters of Pond River, and described as follows: First tract being a part of an original survey of 200 acres which was entered, surveyed, and patented to Benj. Lacy, by virtue of a certificate of Christian County Court, certificate No. 967, and containing 59 acres. Also an other tract estimated to contain 59 acres of land, it being that part of a 200 acre survey as entered and patented to Benj. Lacy, as above stated. Said tracts adjoin, and are the same upon which Wm. Powell, dec'd, lived at the time of his death, and the same upon which Almedia Powell, now lives. Said land is sold for the settlement of debts, and division among heirs of Wm. Powell, dec'd. For the purchase price, the purchaser must execute bond with approved surety or securities, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Replevin Bond. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

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Master Commissioner.

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### Holiday Excursion Rates.

On Dec. 23, 24, 25 and 30 and 31, and Jan. 1, the I. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets to all points on their Southern lines, including Yazoo and Mississippi Valley R. R. Also to points on St. Louis Division between Paducah and St. Louis and Cairo and Ashley, at rate of one and one-third fare, plus 25c. Return limit Jan. 4.

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Edith—Yes, indeed I do, Mr. Van Tucker. I love every one of the dear old



customs, and there isn't one single one that I do not thoroughly enjoy.

Mr. Van Tucker (softly)—Every single one.

Edith—Yes, every one. Mr. Van Tucker. Why not?

Mr. Van Tucker (till more softly)—Even the one about the mistletoe?

Edith (blushing)—Why, Mr. Van Tucker!

Mr. Van Tucker (reluctantly)—There's a sprig of mistletoe hanging over this sofa. No, don't go. Remember what you said. O, you must. [A kiss.] There, you've kept your word.

Miss Smithers—Mr. Van Tucker, you're just awful.

Enter the maiden aunt—Well, Edith, I did the best I could in fixing up the room. I put the mistletoe right over the sofa, where you wanted it so particularly.

Edith—Why, aunt!

Mr. Van Tucker—Um—

Edith—Chicago Daily News.

### BUYING HIS GIRL A GIFT.

How Ideas of the Young Man Change as the Holiday Season Approaches.

Two young men, both of them betrothed, discussed over their fruit dishes the gifts that they would give their girls at Christmas time. The season was early in November and one young man decided on a Swiss watch, the other on a ring of sapphires. Then they smiled together, thinking how pleased their fiancées would be with those costly remembrances.

A month passed, and last week they met again. The first, who is an illustrator, resumed the conversation where they had left off. "Don't you think," he asked, "that the work of one's own hands makes a more poetical gift than anything you buy in a shop? Don't you think that such a gift means more and touches more nearly the heart of the recipient? The other answered: "May be so, but what of it?" "Well," the first resumed, "instead of giving my girl a watch I am going to make her a beautiful drawing. Will do it in brown ink. The subject will be a maiden playing a lute, with a little dove on a great chair beside her listening. That, I am sure, will please her more than a common-place, bought gift. Don't you think so?"

The other smiled and said: "Of course, you have no other motive than this for giving her a drawing instead of a watch?"

"Of course not," the first replied, "and he winked and then laughed feebly.

The President's Christmas. Wagon loads of gifts are received at the white house at Christmas time. They come from all parts of the country, the majority of them from persons unknown to the president and his wife. These miscellaneous articles are the private property of the recipients, and the numerous parcels are placed in one of the family rooms for examination. They generally contain the names of the donors, and to all these notes of thanks are sent. On Christmas eve all the employees of the house—the clerical staff, the waiters and the domestic servants—are given, through the established munificence of the president, a fine fat turkey. Fifty fowls, selected from the best in the market, are purchased for this event, so that everybody about the famous mansion has reason for rejoicing.—Mary Nigro Balentine, in Woman's Home Companion.

An Exploded Myth. "Do your little ones believe in Santa Claus?"

"No," they did till last Christmas when their papa played the part. I had the children in the hall and he was to come from upstairs with a lot of presents for them."

"Yes!" "Well, he had the lights turned low and he thought he was down when he wasn't. They recognized his language."—Chicago Herald.

Not Easily Appeased. Ethel—Papa, why didn't Santa Claus bring me a pearl necklace?

Her Papa—I suppose he hadn't enough to reward me for being so good. "Then why didn't he come here first?"—Jeweller's Weekly.

### KEEPING CHRISTMAS

By Henry Van Dyke.

It is a good thing to observe Christmas Day. The mere marking of times and seasons when men strive to stop work, and make merry together is a wise and wholesome custom. It helps one to feel the supremacy of the common life over the individual life. It reminds a man to set his own little way, now and then, by the great clock of humanity.

But there is a better thing than the observance of Christmas Day, and that is, *keeping Christmas*.

Are you willing to forget what you have done for other people and to remember what other people have done for you; to ignore what the world owes you and think what you owe to the world; to put your rights in the background and your duties in the middle distance and your chances to do a little more than your duty in the foreground; to see that your fellow men are just as real as you are, and try to look behind their faces to their hearts, hungry for joy; to own that probably the only good reason for your existence is not what you are going to get out of life, but what you are going to give to life; to close your book of complaints against the management of the universe and look around you for a place where you can sow a few seeds of happiness—are you willing to do these things even for a day?

Then you can keep Christmas. Are you willing to stop down and consider the needs and the desires of little children; to remember the weakness and loneliness of people who are growing old; to stop asking how much your friends love you and ask yourself whether you love them enough; to bear in mind the things that other people have to bear on their hearts; to try to understand what those who live in the same house with you really want, without waiting for them to tell you; to trim your lamp so that they will be more light and less smoke, and to carry it in front so that your shadow will fall behind you; to make a grave for your own thoughts and a garden for your kindly feelings, with the gate open—are you willing to do these things even for a day?

Then you can keep Christmas. Are you willing to believe that love is the strongest thing in the world—stronger than hate, stronger than evil, stronger than death—and that the blessed life which began in Bethlehem nineteen hundred years ago is the image and brightness of its Eternal Love?

Then you can keep Christmas. And if you keep it for a day, why not always?

But you can never keep it alone.—Youth's Companion.

Rich Boy's Christmas Stockings. A street urchin stood peering into the window of a toy shop one evening just before Christmas, watching a prosperous father buying presents for his bigger brother's eyes grew as the purchasing went on. Finally, when it was all over and the man left the store, the urchin slipped up to him and with great diffidence said:

"Wuz all them things you bought for one boy, mister?"

"Why, yes, certainly," said the man, patiently, as he turned away with his bundles under his arms.

The street boy's eyes grew bigger yet. "Gee whiz!" he whispured under his breath. "Rich men's boys must wear big stockings!"—Syracuse News.

Two Aspects of Christmas. The approach of a set season of festivity and merriment, like Christmas, is a promise of losses paid to the sorrowing. It is at just such times that losses are most severely felt. The noise of the world's gayety sounds like the world's proclamation of indifference to bereavement. It grows harshly on an ear sensitized by sorrow. Yet the festivity must go on—this is its right. And sorrow must be considered—this is its right. Neither festivity nor sorrow should rule, for each can be merciful and generous to the other.—S. S. Times.

The Christmas Flower of Mexico. In Mexico the red Petuetia is the Christmas flower. It holds for the Mexican the same sentimental significance that the holly and mistletoe do in northern countries. The Mexican Indians have a legend to account for its brilliant bracts of blood-red leaves that a drop of blood, blown from the pierced side of Christ, touched the little plant, and ever since it has worn blood-red leaves.—N. Y. Commercial Advertiser.

Identifying It. Fair Shopper—What do you do when in doubt about the use to which an article is intended to be put?

Salesman—Oh, we just call it a Christmas present.—Town Topics.

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Madisonville Mother Commits  
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Madisonville, Ky., Dec. 23.—Catherine Walker, colored, committed suicide by shooting herself through the heart with a revolver. She planned the destruction of herself in a peculiar manner. She sent two of her children from the house and barred all the doors securely from the inside. The loud reports of a gun were heard in the house by the neighbors, who rushed to the house to find the doors barred in this manner. They forced an entrance into the house and found the unfortunate woman lying on the floor and in her deathly grasp still remained the revolver with the smoke still issuing from its muzzle, with her infant hovering around her dying form.

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## Personal Gossip.

Miss Edna Lander, of Empire, is the guest of relatives here.

Robert Hille has gone to St. Louis to spend the holidays.

Mr. E. T. Ryan has gone to Decatur, Ala., to reside.

Mrs. M. C. Blakey, of Auburn, is visiting her son, Dr. T. W. Blakey.

Mrs. Hattie B. Scales, of Clarksville, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Cummings, Jr.

Miss Georgia Handy, of Harrodsburg, is visiting Miss Mary Jessie Brownell.

Hugh Gregory, of St. Louis, has arrived to spend the holidays with his parents, near Church Hill.

Mrs. Chas. Candler and Miss Maude Candler, spent Wednesday in Nashville, the guests of friends.

Miss Emma Meyer has returned from the Columbia, Tenn., Institute to spend Christmas with her parents.

Mrs. J. D. Russell, accompanied by Miss Mary Roach, is spending the holidays with relatives and friends in Fashville.

Dr. A. H. Tunks has gone to Lawrenceburg to join his wife, who has been visiting relatives there for several weeks. They will return to Hopkinsville about January 1.

Messrs. John Trice, Charles McPherson and Hugh Wood, who have been attending State college at Lexington, arrived home the first of the week to spend the holidays.

Mr. W. W. Barbee and niece, Miss Mary Lee Pattillo, of Oak Grove, visited in the city Wednesday and yesterday.

Mr. Leo Samuel, of Minneapolis, Minn.; Mrs. Sam Jacobson, of Chicago, and Mrs. M. Samuel, of St. Louis, are visiting the family of Mr. S. J. Samuel.

### ADDRESSED

To the Christian County Medical Society.

Your committee appointed to draft suitable resolutions on the death of Dr. W. H. Hopson, which occurred at his home on South Main street in this city Dec. 18, beg leave to report the following:

Dr. Hopson was born in this county more than eighty years ago. He was practically a selfmade man. His medical education in the main was acquired as many of our oldest practitioners qualified themselves in those early days, by studying at home and at the bedside of the sick. He was a man of unusual energy and at one time probably enjoyed the confidence of as large a patronage as any physician who ever lived in the county. For years his practice was immense and laborious, but always responded to with energy and zeal. His patients clung to him with unusual confidence and tenacity. As an example of untiring energy in earlier and more active years, we may well follow him. In his later years the infirmities of age and disease incapacitated him from active service, and finally confined him to his home for many months before his death—his end coming at last as the sunset of a fall.

While not a member of the later medical organizations in this county, he was for years identified with those in active practice, and up to ten or fifteen years ago was a member of the Christian County Medical Society.

Resolved that in his death we extend to his bereaved and lonely widow the cordial sympathy of the society.

Respectfully,

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